SHIP DRIVEN **ONTO ROCKS**

Long Island Sound Steamer Will be Total Loss

BUT NO LIVES WERE LOST

Tossed About by the Fury of Storm, Captain of the Starin Attempted to Enter the Nearest Port and His Vessel Was Wrecked.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 20.-The and steamer John W. Starin of the sound steamer John W. Starin of the leatures, occupying a conspicuous place New England Navigation company and at the raised table with "Uncle Sam" plying between New York and New and "Miss Columbia." plying between New York and New Haven now lies on the rocks off the eastern end of the Bridgeport breakwater, at the entrance to the harbor. It is thought that the vessel will prove to be a total loss.

The Sturin left New Haven last night carrying a single passenger, beside the crew. The wreck was due to the fearful storm which lashed the sound last night and tossed the seacraft about, The captain of the Starin, fearing that his ship would founder in the storm, tried to put into the nearest port which was Bridgeport. A big hole was tory in the vessel's side when she struck the assured her before she would remain.

The one passenger and the crow were taken off safely.

SWEPT OVER FALLS.

Congo River Steamer Disaster in Which

Twenty of Crew Were Drowned. Antwerp, Feb. 20.—News has been received here that the Congo State steamer Capitarine Stagestroem was awept over the Stanley falls in the Congo river, and that twenty of the crew of 21 were drowned. The captain of the vessel, seeing that escape was impossible, committed suicide with a revolver. A broken rudder had made the steamer unmanageable.

DEVOTED HIS LIFE TO WORKMEN

John Mitchell Silences Report That He Was About to Take Up a Government Post.

New York, Feb. 20.—Putting a quiet us on the rumors that he was about to leave the cause of labor for a government position. John Mitchell and the leave the fastest and elevernment position. John Mitchell and the leave the fastest and elevernment position. John Mitchell and the leave the fastest and elevernment position. ment position, John Mitchell said today, "I expect all my life and my ef-forts will be devoted to the interests of workmen." He declared that if the supreme court sustains the ruling of Justice Wright of the District of Columbia court he expects to go to jail lump over with Gompers and Morrison and serve fifth round.

POLICE SERGEANT SHOT.

New York Policy eDalers.

the police, led yesterday to the killing over the kidneys. A short right just of Sergeant John D. Coldhammer, who was attached to Deputy Police Commissioner Hanson's staff. Coldhammer was about dead by Edward J. Byrnes, a har the least made of this round.

Solve of the kidneys over the heart made Driscoll look weary as he went to his corner at the end of this round.

Honors were a few years leading to mix ster, Maryland.

Residing at the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield village, where a few years lead to the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield village, where a few years lead to the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield village, where a few years lead to the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield village, where a few years lead to the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield village, where a few years lead to the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield village, where a few years lead to the plainfield will be a plainfield with the pleasant farm residence on Hellister Hill during nearly all of her married life, she and her husband purchased a residence in Plainfield will be a plainfield with the plainfield will be a plai shot dead by Edward J. Byrnes, a bar tender in the latter's apartment in a both men looking as though they could

it is said regarding an assault alleged of blows exchanged. o have been made upon a former men ber of the so-called policy ring, because of information this man had furnished the police. Byrnes declares that Goldhammer insisted on forcing his way into his apartment and that he shot him, supposing that he was a burglar.

FALLING TREE KILLS WOODSTOCK MAN

Louis de Lucia Was to Start Next Monday For Italy, Whither He Had Sent His Wife and Children.

other, and completely flattened the ily personally lifted the coffin on a gun-man's head. A snorth ago he sent his carriage which bore it to the fortress St. wife and children to Italy and he was Peter, whence it will be buried. to start next Monday to join them,

PRICES TO BE CUT.

Steel and Iron Market Has Been Declared Open.

New York, Feb. 20.—An "open" mar mier park meeting yesterday, Doris, a ket in the iron and steel trade that mare 'rom Picton, Out., made two manufacturers believe will lead to a world's records in the free for all. Af-stimulation of the industry was creat-ed late yesterday when former Judge Elbert H. Gray, chairman of the direc-last seven times out, Doris B. captured torate of the United States Steel corporation, made an official announce. 2:15, 2:14 3-4 and 2:15 the three fast-ment that the "leading manufacturers est heats ever trotted in a race on an of fron and steel have determined to ice track.

TAFT MADE A "KNOCKER."

Was Initiated "at Sight" in Cincinnati Last Night.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 20.—President elect William H. Taft was last night made a Knocker "at sight." His initia tion furnished entertainment for one hundred prominent business and professional men of the city, at the Knock

ers' annual dinner.
Cincinnati's Knockers' organization is an auxiliary of its businessmen's elub. Its particular business is to knock hard and effectively everything tending to hinder the material advancement of the city and to originate and promote enterprises and undertakings for the city's welfare. It has no known organization and no one known who are organization and no one knows who are its members. It makes members of whom it pleases and dismisses them at

The president-elect was not allowed to make a speech, which was interpret-ed as a delicate compliment from his townsmen, who were in fact saying ferewell to him as a private citizen. As the guest of honor at the dinner it was his first escape from oratory for 20 years. A fully made up "double" represented him in the entertainment

At each of 16 tables sat an approprintely contumed Knocker to represent one of the 16 foreign nations, and during the evening a message to the president-to-be was made known from

Emperor William's wireless message was announced to Mr. Taft as a kiss for each cheek and the hope that the Senate would not find it necessary to reduce the presidential salary before the new president could get it.

An Irish cook direct from the palace of King Edward and Vereight to the palace of King Edward and Proceedings of the palace of King Edward and Proceedings of the palace of King Edward and Proceedings of King Edward an

of King Edward was England's tribute

rocks, and it is now believed that it will be impossible to save her. The Starin carried a valuable cargo of mer chandise.

Any one of his 57 varieties of wives was offered Mr. Taft by the representative of the Sultan but Uncle Sam would have none of this, rejecting the offer with the assertion that "one wife is enough to keep a man poor."

DRISCOLL THE BETTER

In Ten-round Bout With Abe Attell in New York Last Night.

New York, Feb. 20.—Jem Driscoll, the English featherweight champion, and Abe Attell of San Francisco, holder of the world's championship in that class, met in a 10-round bout last night at the National Athletic club and Driscoll had a shade the better of the contest. They weighed in at six

est bouts ever seen in this city. Both men are very quick, but Attell seemed to have more steam behind his blows. Driscoll's left jabs were frequent and he landed them one-two and one-twothree fashion on Abe's face raising a lump over Attell's right eye in the

At infighting the American proved the better, sending in some hard body punishment which staggered the Brit-ish boxer. In the sixth round Attell Had Been Too Active in Detection of which sent Driscoll stargering to the grandchildren Arthur G. Cutler of this best in years. Whittier's full orchestown, Herold Gilman of Lancaster, and tra of Montpelier furnished music. ropes. In the seventh Attell reached the face and stomach with telling ef-New York, Feb. 20.—His activity in detecting policy dealers, it is hinted by the police, led vesterday to the killing over the kidneys. A short right just dence on Hollis of Sergeant John D. Coldhammer, who

continue for another hour. Coldhammer went to Byrne's apart In the ninth and tenth rounds Drisment in plain clothes to question him, coll had the advantage in the number

CZAR RISKS DANGER TO HONOR DEAD

For the Second Time Since His Coronation He Marched Through the Streets of His Own Capital

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.-For the secand time since his coronation, Czar Nicholas marched through his own capital city to-day to pay his respects at the bier of his uncle, Grand Duke Vladimir,

To-day.

FASTEST HEATS ON ICE.

Were Made By Doris B at The Montreal Races.

Montreal, Pab. 20 .- At the Le Lori-

HONEYMOON **CUT SHORT**

Bridegroom Arrested as Be-

Doctors Say that W. W. Sargent Will Be a Raving Maniac Withn Two Years-His Bride Is Worth

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 20.—The honeymoon of W. W. Sargent, a rich carriage dealer, and Miss A. Mary Hanns,, who is worth \$200,000, was brought to a sudden halt today. They were married yesterday by the Rev. Dr. Thomlins. When J. W. Sargent, father of the bridegroom, heard of the marriage he swore out a warrant bemarriage he swore out a warrant before Judge Utley for the arrest of his
son on the ground that he was not
mentally competent.

The warrant was served last night
within fifteen minutes after it had

beth issued, but the younger Sargent was allowed to spend the night with his wife under surveillance. Judge Utley is expected to commit him today. Drs. Brown and Hurley say that the younger Sargent has dementis paralytica and that he will be a raving manic within two yourses. maniae within two years.

BROTHERS DISPUTE OVER BUSINESS

One Says He Can't Get an Accounting, While the Other Maintains That No Partnership Existed-Receiver Is Asked For.

A dispute between two brothers in the granite business at Montpelier was heard at length in a chancery suit be-fore Attorney R. M. Harvey, as referee, in Montpelier yesterday afternoon and last night. The case is that of E. Fernandez vs. P. Fernandez, two Spaniards who have worked in the Robar plant. The plaintiff, who was represented by Attorneys F. J. Martin and E. R. Davis o'clock, neither turning the scale at the stipulated weight, 125 pounds.

No decision was given by Referee Charles White as the laws of this state do not permit decisions to be rendered in boxing bouts. The champion-

Plainfield, Feb. 20.-Mrs. Diantha although very weak. (Powers) Gilman died yesterday at the home of Mrs. Emma (Best) Batchelder. Mrs. Gilman was the widow of the late Solomon Loomis Gliman. The deceased was the daughter of Heman and Isabell (Nash) Powers and was born in East Montpelier, July 1, 1826, and is survived by one brother, Alonzo Powers of Randolph, one son, Heman Gilman of Lancaster, N. H., and two daughters Mrs. H. E. Cutler of Plainfield and Mrs. Ezra

deceased, until weighed down by age and affliction of body, possessed an unusually bright mind and a sunny disposition, and her memory will be as a "healing balm" to the near and dear ones left behind. Rev. Dr. J. Edward Wright will be assisted by Rev. L. F. Fortney in the fu-neral services Monday at two o'clock p. m. at the residence of Mrs. Emma Best

CARBO DIDN'T LIKE VERDICT

And He Took an Appeal to County Court in Montpelier Case.

when the latter was attempting to get than ever, now that the license fees will but it buried its dead members and fur-his team right side up after a tip-over on go to the state. Court street, Montpelier, Thursday after-noon. Carbo still didn't think that he

strike Haskins, but that he pushed him over. In spite of the statement, Judge Wing fined the respondent \$25, with the costs of the case amounting to \$10.23. Justice Wing heard the case because City Judge Harvey was out of the city.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. John Baldwin of Burington were visitors in this city yester-

Harry J. Bertoli has returned to his home in Montpelier after spending several weeks in the state tuberculosis sani-

Among arrivals at the hotel Otis yes-terday were R. C. Hall, Rochester; J. C. wish of the community. The important Walker, Boston; R. A. Garland, New thing is to cast the full no-license vote.

HAPGOOD BEFRIENDS A POOR LONE WOMAN

A Mother of 19, We Ought to Bow to Rather Than to Put in Jail, He Declared to Newspaper Man.

Cnarles Limoges, a Montpelier Barber, Taken Very III,

While Charles Limoges, a State street barbor in Montpelier, was engag ed in cutting a patron's hair yesterday said, was due to a straining of the stomach. The patient is better today

NORWICH JUNIOR PROM.

Was Held Last Night and Was Attended By a Large Crowd.

Northfield, Feb. 20 .- The junior prom by the class of 1910 at Norwich university was held last night at Dewey hall and was a very brilliant affair. (Russell) Ashmore of Westmin-Many people from surrounding towns Maryland.

A MENACE TO SOCIETY.

village, where a few years later Mr. Gil. An Institution That Is Indefensible from man was called from the earth life. The Every Point of View. Every Point of View.

[Communicated.]

This is our one proposition; this is the one basis on which we make our appeal.

ALL ELSE IS ASIDE.

We are contending for total abstinence.

We are not discussing the liquor problem never cease to captivate us, and, when as a whole. We are not advocating any we deserve it, of rewarding us. The one of the many solutions of that problem. We are not speaking for Prohibitionists, nor for local-optionists, nor for James Smith and this was followed with state or municipal controllists, as such. an address on the order and its merits We are not denying that under no-license by Toastmaster W. W. Russell. Mr. Rus-Justice J. G. Wing of Montpelier found George Carbo guilty of breach of the peace last night in striking Jerry Haskins the galoon will be more expensive to us sist its living members who were needy,

city to day to pay his respects at the bier of his uncle, Grand Duke Vladimir, was guilty and he took an appeal to whose funeral was conducted with great pomp. Every street was lined with by F. A. Standish.

OUR ONE PROPOSITION.

We are just submitting, defending, urging this one propositon: the saloon is an institution that we are better off by F. A. Standish. OUR ONE PROPOSITION. without; it promotes the good of Barre consisted of a variety of good things, in-Woodstock, Fob. 20.—Louis de Lucia, troops, and thousands of secret police aged 45 years, was killed yesterday mingled with the crowds and prepared afternoon while chopping wood. The to block would be assassins. The czar tree we was cutting fell, striking an and other members of the imperial fam. The respondent stated that he didn't interests, the political interests of the tables were removed and the comthe domestic, family interests, the moral interests, the political interests of the tables were removed and the com-

ITY.

We believe the conscience of the community is clear and strong in condemnation of the saloon. There may be a few exceptions that prove the rule, and we impugn the motives of none who disagrees with us, but as a matter of fact we believe the great majority of patriotic citizens regard the saloon as detrimental to all that makes for the decency and dignity, the progress and presperity, the reputation, stability and growth of this

OUR CONFIDENCE. We have every confidence that no-liBANQUETED AND DANCED

Rutland, Feb. 20.—M. J. Hapgood of Peru appeared before Assistant Judge H. M. Redfield of Hubbardton at the Annual Affair

Example 1. M. Medicial of Hubbardon at the house of correction yesterials under the passes by way of assant or P. 6. Lend, reward of Mrs. P. 1. May of assant or P. 6. Lend, reward of Mrs. P. 6. Lend, reward of Carles Highly, Lawrence Blaing, H. H. Ward, D. J. Beyon, E. Mg/Anderson and D. J. Lettle D. 1. Lend of Red Mrs. P. 1. Lend of R

May it ever be freshly remembered by American hearts; may it ever awaken in them a filial venerations for his memory; ever kindle the fires of patriotic regard for the country which he loved so well; to which he devoted his life in the ma-

elements. Where may the wearied eye son and E. B. Blanchard. About 185 repose, when gazing on the great, where couples were on the floor. The order of dances included 20 numbers and rethe repose, when gazing on the great, where state? es, one the first, the last, the freshments were served at midnight by Cincinnatus of the West, whom envy dared not hate, bequeathed the name of

Past Sachem Fred C. Davis of Springfield was then introduced by the toast master and gave an interesting address on the order, its past and future, and the work which it is accomplishing. Then came a song by George McLeod and he responded with an encore. This was followed with a vocal solo by Miss Barbara McDonald and she, too, was of ged to render a second selection in answer to

continued applause. The next toast proposed was "The La-dies," and Alex. McCaskill replied in part

smiles lie our sunshine, in their tears our anguish, in their beauty our heartaches. The saloon on our streets, licensed to bright flowers by the wayside, the quite The effects of the thaw do business, is a bad thing for Barre. too tenderly ulter beings who make, mar,

ther still cared for the widows and or-

pany enjoyed dancing until the early mornig hours.

A pleasant feature of the evening, and a total surprise to the recipient, was the presentation of a past sachem's jewel to Past Sachem Alex. McCaskill. The presentation was made in a fitting man-over the tracks sheets of water were presentation was made in a litting manuer by W. W. Russell and while Mr. MeCaskill, in his surprise, was unable to
express himself freely, he thanked the
tribe cordially for their remembrance.

The hall was prettily decorated with
bunting and at the head was a portrait
of George Washington, draped in flegs
and decorated with ministure hatches the same and the resultant flood of
water. and decorated with miniature hatchets and cherries.

CARPENTERS' ANNUAL DANCE.

guests present at the invitation of the carpenters, and they were made to feel at home the minute they entered the hall and continued to be entertained until a late hour. Harris's crohestra of four pisces furnished excellent music for the dances which were very acceptably chosen to suit the company.

At the intermission, refreshments were from the boxes brought by the ladies, and coffee was prepared in the kitchen connected with the hall. The floor manager was C. O. Averill, and he was assisted by H. A. Maxfield and R. L. Hayward. The grand march was led by Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Colvin, followed by 36 couples. Later there were 60 couples

MONTPELIER FIREMEN.

Held Their Third Annual Ball Last

Night With Big Crowd Present. the contest. They weighed in at six of clock, my dispersanced by the plaintiff, who was represented the council of the contents of the case was remained that he had been taken with the had been taken with the had been taken with the chair transmitted that he had been taken with the chair transmit the that he while he gain directed in the time the while he gain directed in The third annual fireman's ball at

> NORTH END SWIMS - BECAUSE OF THAW

> Whitcomb Bros', Works Look Like an Island, While Many Cellars Are Full of Water.

A combination of the big fall of snow of a few days ago with the rain of last Chester H. Blakeley, James F. Chris, night has made travel in some parts G. A. Wilkinson, C. H. Campbell. night has made travel in some parts "The Ladies, God bless them! What of the city extremely uncomfortable could we do without them—that nearer, today. Pedestrians were obliged to the election officers were chost clearer, dearer heaven of stars! In their halt and dodge at barriers of water the six wards, being as follows: and the teamsters almost needed navi- Ward 1. Ward clerk, E. J. Owens. To the ladies we owe all the refining gators' licenses to perform their usual

The effects of the thaw and rain are

felt worst in the vicinity of Maple avenue and its junction with North Main street where Gunner brook has overflowed its banks. The brook, almost dry during the summer months, is more than bank full with melting snow and is within a few inches o the electric railroad and bridges which cross it at North Main street. The snow on the ice in Stevens branch has effectually blocked the onrush of water and in consequence Whitcomb Brothers machine works are completely surrounded by water. The blacksmith shop at the Whitcomb werks is filled with water the depth of two feet and there are es in the engine room. Cellars on George street are filled with surface water and several on Maple avenue are navigable

Upper Main street is in rather better condition as the workmen of street department have managed to get the drains open and allow the sur-face water ingress to the sewers. The the city were not of the best during the early hours of the forenoon and the electric car tracks in the vicinity water.

GRANITEVILLE.

The people of Graniteville, Websterment that the "leading manufacturers can be also be reduced in a race on an steel have determined to protect their customers and for the present, sell at such modified prices as a protect their customers and be necessary with respect of different commodities in order to retain their fair have of the beariness. The proponder and seen is the preponder and sent ment that the "leading manufacturers to their customers and for the present, sell at such modified prices as a pleasant Time for All.

The reading of the names of delinquent wish of the community. The important this important that the "leading manufacturers to tertack," and 3:15 the three fast—out of the manufacturers to tend years the important of the manufacturers and the "leading manufacturers to the manufacturers to the preponder and sent in a race on an togo to the manufacturers and to the proponder and sent in a race on an togo the names of delinquent wish of the community. The important this important this important the important that the "leading manufacturers and terday were R. C. Hall, Rochester; J. C. Walker, Boston; R. A. Gariand, New Walker, Boston; R. A. Gariand, New Was the full no-license as the terd in a race on an togo the count of the community. The important this is to cast the full no-license as the seven in promptive at seven of less than the store of S. J. Regel & Co. in the store of S. J. Regel & Co.

David Rennie, Alex. Rennie, William Ewen, George L. Emerson, George Slora

and William H. Wescott.
Ward 2. George T. Masson.
Ward 3. Samuel Sinclair, Donald Me-

Voters Transferred.

The transfers to the various wards are Ward 1. A. E. Fort, Quincy H. Perry. Ward 2, George H. Cook, W. C. Thom-as Halvosa, W. E. Braisted, Paul D.

Leavitt, Charles Douglass.
Ward 3. G. Appiani, Joseph Parker,
W. E. Haskins, Alexander E. Milne.
Ward 4. John B. Gomo. Ward 5. James Stembarge, Felice Rizzi, W. S. Bassett, V. S. Malanit, Gaiseppi Rossi, Antonio Pollie, Tullio Lanfrance Gero Polli, James Canton, Fabor Lagor, John McColl, Israel Bonin. Ward 6. Morris F. Hunt, Carl M. Hunt,

New Election Officers. The election officers were chosen for

> Inspectors, Harry McNeil, Geo. F. Howe, G. I. Beckley. Ballot clerks, J. C. Wylie, N. B. Ballard, William Paul, Frank McWhorter. Marker, D. J. Sullivan, E. N.

Philbrick. Ward clerk, Charles Laundgren, Inspectors, Harry Whitcomb, C. G. Moore, Robert Inglis. Ballot clerks, W. T. Kenerson, James Mutch, George Quig-ley, Nat Whittier.

Markers, James Brown, C. W. McMillan. Ward clerk, E. L. Smith. Inspectors, C. C. Varney, C. A. Churchill, W. W. Calder, Ballot clerks, William McDon-ald, J. Gould Moore, Alex. Cruickshank, J. B. Sangui-

M. Tayntor. Ward clerk, A. M. Smith. Inspectors, W. V. Avery, W. T. Calder, Peter D. Thom. Ballot clerks, A. J. Loranger, Leslie Lawrence, C. E. Thwing, John Rowley. Markers, James K. Anderson,

Markers. O. D. Shurtleff, E.

William Scott. Ward clerk, Fred N. Braley. Inspectors, Alex. Hadden, Ce leste Bianchi, O. J. Howes. Ballot clerks, W. J. Kingston, C. E. White, Frank Comolli, John Cleary. Markers, Michael Keefe, Oreste

Ward clerk, John Gibb.
Inspectors, W. C. Goodwin, M. C. Morgan, Charles Cay.
Ballot clerks, C. P. Jones, E. R. Davis, James D. Wood, A. Markers, Peter Alexander, Mi-